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1959-60

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Professor L. J. Witts, M.D., F.R.C.P.

Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting was held at 4.30 p.m. on Wednesday, 20th May, 1959, at the Rooms of the Royal Society, Burlington House, Piccadilly, W1. *Chairman*: Mr. Aird Whyte. Twelve persons were present, of whom 10 were Fellows.

ANNUAL REPORT

The Secretary presented the Annual Report and, in referring briefly to its contents, made particular reference to the services given by Fellows and Members of the Council in representing the Society at Conferences.

The adoption of the Report was proposed by the Chairman and carried unanimously.

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS AND BALANCE SHEET

These were presented by the Chairman in his capacity as Honorary Treasurer.

After giving a short outline of the Society's financial position he then proposed their adoption which was carried unanimously.

HONORARY OFFICERS AND COUNCIL FOR THE YEAR 1959/60

HONORARY OFFICERS

Sir Charles Darwin, who had completed his second term of office, had retired from the Presidency (Article 27) and Sir Julian Huxley had agreed to succeed him in office.

The following appointments by the Council were announced:

President: Sir Julian Huxley

Treasurer: Mr. Aird Whyte

Librarian: Dr. C. O. Carter

Secretary: Dr. C. P. Blacker

Vice-Presidents: Mr. P. R. Cox

Dr. J. M. Tanner

Dr. A. S. Parkes

Dr. J. A. Fraser Roberts

Professor C. D. Darlington

Sir Charles Dodds

(under Article 28 the following Vice-Presidents had retired: Professor F. Grundy, Mr. P. Bloomfield)

COUNCIL

There having been no nominations for membership of the Council from Fellows outside it, the election of the following, presented by the Council, was proposed by the Chairman and carried unanimously:

The Rev. Dr. D. Sherwin Bailey
Sir Arthur Ellis
Dr. K. Hutton
Professor A. Kennedy
Dr. Hilda Lewis
Dr. C. Ounsted
Mrs. B. S. Bosanquet

Mr. D. F. Hubback
Mr. D. Caradog Jones
Captain R. A. Pilkington
Mrs. M. A. Pyke
Dr. M. Hynes
Mr. Cecil Binney
Sir Charles Darwin

(under Article 30 the following Councillors had retired:

Mr. C. W. Usher
Miss E. Lawrence
Sir Charles Dodds
Professor P. E. Vernon
Dr. J. P. M. Tizard
Professor C. D. Darlington)

AUDITORS' REMUNERATION

The Chairman, again in his capacity as Honorary Treasurer, reported that Messrs. West & Drake would continue to serve as the Society's Auditors.

The following was RESOLVED:

"That the Auditors' remuneration for the current year to 31st December, 1959, shall be the sum of eighty guineas with a further charge for additional accountancy as may be agreed between the Auditors and the Treasurer."

The Resolution was proposed by the Honorary Treasurer, and carried unanimously.

Before the close of the meeting Dr. C. P. Blacker, from the floor, expressed the Society's great appreciation of the services given by Sir Charles Darwin in the six years of his Presidency. Throughout his term of office he had taken an active part in the affairs of the Society which had gained much in prestige from his interest and support. Happily, Sir Charles Darwin had agreed to accept election to the Council so that the Society would be able to retain its contact with him.

Dr. Blacker also expressed thanks to Mr. Geoffrey Eley, who had retired from the Finance Committee because of increasing pressure on his time, for the great help he had given to the Society during his years as Honorary Treasurer and subsequently as a member of this Committee.

Lastly, Dr. Blacker thanked Mr. Aird Whyte for the able way in which he handled the Society's finances.

Annual Report : 1959-60

IN THIS REPORT the accounts relate to the period from 1st January, 1959 to 31st December, 1959 inclusive. The rest of the Report covers the period from 1st April, 1959 to 31st March, 1960 inclusive.

COUNCIL AND COMMITTEES

Council meetings were held on the following dates:

17th June, 1959	13 present
21st October, 1959	20 present
17th February, 1960	14 present

The following were co-opted to the Council under Article 32:

On 17th June, 1959:

Professor A. C. Stevenson	Professor P. E. Vernon
Dr. J. P. M. Tizard	Professor C. H. Waddington

During the year under review the Executive Committee has met four times and the Finance Committee twice.

CONSULTATIVE COUNCIL

Professor J. S. Mitchell, C.B.E., F.R.S., has been appointed a member of the Council.

THE GALTON LECTURE

The Galton Lecture for 1960 was delivered on Wednesday, 17th February, by Eliot Slater, M.D., F.R.C.P., D.P.M., on "Galton's Heritage." The Chair was taken by Sir Julian Huxley, and about 100 people were present. The Lecture took place at Manson House, 26 Portland Place, W.1., and was preceded by tea.

MEMBERS' MEETINGS

The following meetings were held in the Rooms of the Royal Society, Burlington House, by kind permission of the President and Council of the Royal Society:

26th May, 1959: Dr. Isabella Leitch and Dr. A. Thomson on "Growth, Heredity and Nutrition." Dr. J. P. M. Tizard was in the Chair.

21st October, 1959: Miss E. M. Brooke on "Mental Health and the Population." Dr. C. P. Blacker was in the Chair.

18th November, 1959: Dr. A. E. Mourant on "Blood Groups in the Study of Human Populations." Dr. H. Lehmann was in the Chair.

15th December, 1959: Dr. C. P. Blacker on "Birth Control and Sterilisation in Asian Countries, with special reference to Japan and India." Mrs. M. A. Pyke was in the Chair.

20th January, 1960: Mr. R. H. S. Robertson on "The Output of Scientists in Scotland—1600 to 1950." Dr. D. C. Martin was in the Chair.

23rd March, 1960: Professor J. F. Danielli on "New Life in Old Bodies." Dr. E. Hindle was in the Chair.

EUGENICS REVIEW

The Eugenics Review has continued to appear under the Editorship of Mrs. K. Hodson.

The Editorial, Publications and Library Committee, which has met four times during the past year, consists of Mr. P. R. Cox (Chairman), The Rev. Dr. D. Sherwin Bailey, Dr. C. P. Blacker, Mr. P. Bloomfield, Dr. C. O. Carter and Mr. C. W. Usher, with the President and Honorary Treasurer as *ex officio* members.

At its meeting on 17th February, 1960, the Council agreed in principle that the price of *The Eugenics Review* should be increased to 10/- per issue and £2 per volume. The date at which this increase will be made is under consideration.

DARWIN RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP

At its meeting on 17th February, 1960, the Council decided to offer a Darwin Research Fellowship, open to those qualified in science or in medicine wishing to pursue research work in the field of human population genetics with special reference to the range of human variability.

The Fellowship has therefore been advertised and it is hoped that an appointment, which will be for up to three years, will be made in the near future.

The offer of this Fellowship revives a pre-war practice.

DARWIN LECTURE IN HUMAN BIOLOGY

The Council has agreed that a Darwin Lecture in Human Biology shall be established, the first Lecture to be held if possible in October, 1960, and thereafter annually, for a trial period of five years.

The Lectures will be arranged by, and under the sponsorship of the Institute of Biology but in named association with the *Society*. The Lecturers and topics will be agreed as between the Institute and the *Society* which will meet all expenses of arrangement and advertisement in addition to the Lecturer's emolument.

A.I.D. INVESTIGATION COUNCIL

The A.I.D. Investigation Council, which was set up as an autonomous body by the *Society* in 1958, has completed its initial survey. The following report of the Council's activities has been received from its Chairman, Dr. A. S. Parkes:

Meetings have been held at regular intervals and doctors known to be practising the technique have been interviewed. In the light of information so received the Council prepared a written memorandum of

evidence which it submitted in May, 1959, to the Departmental Committee on Artificial Insemination (this memorandum was later printed in the January, 1960, issue of *The Eugenics Review*). In June, 1959, Dr. Parkes and Dr. Bloom gave oral evidence on behalf of the Council to the Departmental Committee.

The Council, which is planning its work on a long-term basis, has devised a questionnaire for a follow-up inquiry to be made of doctors who have already given verbal information to the Council and also of those who have not yet been able to do so. It is hoped to conduct such an inquiry annually and that the information obtained will form the basis of periodic reports.

The A.I.D. Investigation Council is constituted as follows: Dr. A. S. Parkes (Chairman); Dr. P. M. Bloom and Dr. Margaret Jackson (joint Honorary Secretaries); The Rev. Dr. D. Sherwin Bailey, Mr. C. Binney, Dr. C. P. Blacker, The Rev. Dr. H. L. Philp and Mrs. Mary Stocks.

GRANTS

During the period under review the *Society's* Council has made the following grants:

International Planned Parenthood Federation Region for Europe, Near East and Africa.

A sum of £250 a year for two years as a contribution towards the regional administration expenses.

Dr. Ainsworth Harrison. A sum of £250 for a pilot survey, in Liverpool, of some aspects of the genetics and biological fitness of Negro x European hybrids.

Professor D. V. Glass. A sum of £1,000 as a contribution towards the expenses of a historico-demographic study of the Peerage, to be conducted by Mr. T. H. Hollingsworth.

THE MARIE STOPES MEMORIAL FOUNDATION LIMITED

In the Spring of 1959 the *Society* inherited, under the Will of the late Dr. Marie Stopes, the following legacies:

Such books from her Library on Sex and Sociology as the Honorary Secretary (Dr. C. P. Blacker) might choose for the *Society's* Library.

The copyright of her medical text book "Contraception: Its Theory, History and Practice."

The freehold of her house 108 Whitfield Street, London, W.1., to run in trust as a memorial.

The annual profits of her *Racials* and other registered inventions.

In June, 1959, the Council appointed a sub-Committee, with power to act, to deal with matters arising from the last two of the above-mentioned bequests. It was Dr. Stopes's hope that it would be possible to continue to run a clinic and that the property would be used as a memorial to her. The Committee, which has sought legal advice on administrative and technical procedure, has now completed its work by the formation of a Limited Company, The Marie Stopes Memorial Foundation Limited,

which it is intended will manage a Marie Stopes Memorial Clinic. The Society for Constructive Birth Control owns 106 Whitfield Street, W.1., and the existing clinic founded by Dr. Stopes in 1921 is run from both 106 and 108 Whitfield Street. Arrangements are being made with the C.B.C. so that its funds will be joined with the legacies to the *Eugenics Society* for the purpose of running the Memorial Clinic. In due course a surplus should be available for the general purposes of the *Eugenics Society*.

The Articles of Association of the Marie Stopes Memorial Foundation Limited include a provision for its ultimate control by the *Society's* Council through an appointed representative; and the Council has appointed the General Secretary, at present Dr. G. C. L. Bertram, so to act. The Foundation thus becomes a subsidiary Company of the *Society*.

The Board of the Foundation has set up a sub-Committee, to manage the Clinic on its behalf, which will be ultimately responsible to the Board for all matters concerning the running of the Clinic.

The Foundation is most fortunate in that Sir Russell Brain has agreed to become its President. Dr. G. C. L. Bertram has been appointed Chairman of the Board whose other members are Mrs. M. A. Pyke (who will be convener of the Clinic Committee), Dr. Hilda Lewis, Dr. C. O. Carter and Mr. A. I. Wyborn. Miss F. B. Schenk has been appointed Secretary.

PROMISING FAMILIES COMMITTEE

A broadsheet based on the findings of the Promising Families Committee has not been published as earlier expected. The summarised conclusions of this inquiry have proved more suitable for publication as a further paper by Dr. C. O. Carter, the Committee's Secretary, in a forthcoming issue of *The Eugenics Review*.

REPRESENTATION AT CONFERENCES

International Union of Family Organisations. A Conference of the Marriage Guidance Commission of the International Union of Family Organisations was held in Zurich from 17th-20th June, 1959. Dr. C. P. Blacker attended as the *Society's* delegate and was accompanied by Mr. N. H. Carrier, of the Population Investigation Committee, whose expenses were also met by the *Society*.

A report of this Conference, by Dr. Blacker, under the title "Population, Religion and Birth Control" was published in the January, 1960 issue of *The Eugenics Review*.

REPRESENTATION OF THE SOCIETY ON OTHER ORGANISATIONS

The Council has been represented by Dr. C. P. Blacker and Dr. Hilda Lewis on the British Committee of the International Union of Family Organisations; by Mr. J. C. Trevor on the Joint Committee of Anthropological Research and Teaching; by Dr. C. O. Carter on the National Council of Social Service and by Dr. Hilda Lewis on the National Council of Women.

SOCIETY'S PREMISES

During the year under review, the *Society* has continued to make all three rooms on its second floor available, rent free, to the International Planned Parenthood Federation.

The *Society* has continued, also, to make one room on its ground floor available, rent free, to the British Social Biology Council.

LIBRARY

During the past year 157 books have been added to the Library by gift or purchase: 102 books and periodicals have been borrowed, thirty-four of them by the National Central Library. The Librarian has borrowed three books from the National Central Library for re-loan to Fellows and Members.

In July, 1959, the Library received a valuable acquisition under the Will of the late Dr. Marie Stopes (*see* page 7). The volumes added by this bequest were listed in the October, 1959, issue of *The Eugenics Review*.

Further new shelves have been added to the existing cases in the Library to meet the need for expansion, and three electric radiators have been installed there, thus greatly reducing the risk of dampness affecting the books.

OBITUARY

We regret to report the death of the following Fellows and Members of the *Society*: Mr. W. H. Atherton, Mr. E. C. Colin, Miss J. H. Hillyer, Brigadier Sir Ernest Makins, Miss E. Ormsby, Mr. N. S. Percival, Dr. Abraham Stone, Lord Strathcona and Mountroyal, and Mr. N. A. Thompson.

FINANCE

SUBSCRIPTIONS

At its meeting on 17th February, 1960, the Council reluctantly decided that the present annual subscription to the *Society* of £1 1s. could no longer be continued and that the rate should be raised to £2 2s. per annum. The increase will take effect as from 1st September, 1960.

Fellows and Members will shortly receive personal notification of this change.

DONATIONS AND LEGACIES

During the year to 31st December, 1959, the *Society* has gratefully received the following donations and legacies:

		£	s.	d.	
<i>Donations</i>	Mr. C. M. Goethe	3	7	6	(\$10.00)
	Dr. D. G. Wells		9	0	
	Mr. J. E. Robinson	5	0	0	
	Dr. N. A. Sprott	10	0	0	
	Mr. G. R. S. Snow	8	0	0	
		26	16	6	

<i>Legacies</i>	Mr. W. L. Platts	£50 0 0
	Dr. J. Hay Marshall	100 0 0
	Dr. Marie C. Stopes	See page 7

ACCOUNTS FOR 1959

The Balance Sheet and the Income and Expenditure Account for the year to 31st December, 1959, together with a list of the *Society's* investments will be found at the end of this Report.

In the year under review, there was a deficit of £1,571 which included Grants paid.

As at 31st December, 1959, the General Fund stood at £83,938 which compares with £80,831 for the preceding year.

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Register of Fellows and Members

	<i>Life Fellows</i>	<i>Life Members</i>	<i>Fellows</i>	<i>Members</i>	<i>Total</i>
Total, 31st March, 1959 ..	101	20	160	203	484
Elections, 1959/60 ..	8	6	11	15	40
	109	26	171	218	524
<i>Less:</i>					
Deaths	1	1	3	4	9
Resigned	—	—	3	4	7
Lapsed	—	—	1	9	10
	1	1	7	17	26
Total, 31st March, 1960 ..	108	25	164	201	498

Accounts for 1959

BALANCE SHEET INCOME AND EXPENDITURE INVESTMENTS

THE EUGENICS SOCIETY

Balance Sheet, 31st December, 1959

<i>As at</i> 31.12.58	<i>As at</i> 31.12.58		<i>As at</i> 31.12.58
£	£		£
GENERAL FUND			
80,831	Balance as shown by annexed account ...	...	83,938
STAFF PENSION RESERVE			
1,000	Balance at this date ...	...	1,000
LEASEHOLD PROPERTY			
	69 Eccleston Square and 69 Eccleston Square Mews at Cost ...	...	5,208
	Less: Amounts written off:		
	To 31st December, 1958 ...	...	1,714
	For year to date ...	...	38
	(Market Value approximately £15,000) ...	...	1,752
			<u>3,494</u>
FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT			
	At cost less depreciation charged to 31st December, 1947 with subsequent additions (less proceeds of sales) at cost ...	...	1,019
			<u>4,475</u>
INVESTMENTS			
	At Cost, less Capital Distributions per list attached:		
21,777	Freehold Properties ...	...	21,118
46,864	Quoted Investments ...	...	51,258
(£57,074)	(Market Value £70,538)		
5,000	Cash on Deposit ...	...	5,000
			<u>77,376</u>
47. Committee on Promising Families ...			
	Total Grant ...	1,000	
	Drawn to 31.12.59 ...	256	
	Balance Outstanding ...		744

Note:

The following grants were approved before 31st December, 1959, but had not been fully drawn by that date.

57. A. I. D. Investigation Council ...	1,000	151	849
60. I.P.P.F. Region for Europe, Near East and Africa	500	125	375
	<u>£2,500</u>	<u>£532</u>	<u>£1,968</u>

C. P. BLACKER, *Honorary Secretary*
G. AIRD WHYTE, *Honorary Treasurer*

£81,831

£84,938

CURRENT ASSETS		
Income Tax Recoverable ...	1,142	1,155
Sundry Debtors and Payments in Advance ...	1,295	1,114
Cash at Bank and in Hand ..	2,092	1,672
	<u>4,529</u>	<u>3,941</u>
Less: CURRENT LIABILITIES		
Sundry Creditors and Accrued Expenses ...	715	854
	<u>3,814</u>	<u>3,087</u>
	<u>£81,831</u>	<u>£84,938</u>

REPORT OF THE AUDITORS TO THE MEMBERS OF THE EUGENICS SOCIETY

We have audited the above Balance Sheet and annexed Income and Expenditure Account and have obtained all the information and explanations which to the best of our knowledge and belief were necessary for that purpose. So far as appears from our examination, proper books of account have been kept by the Society. In our opinion and to the best of our information and according to the explanations given to us, the Balance Sheet and Income and Expenditure Account, which are in agreement with the books of account, give the information required by the Companies Act, 1948, in the manner so required and also a true and fair view of the state of the Society's affairs as at 31st December, 1959 and of the deficit for the year to that date.

SARDINIA HOUSE,
52 LINGOLNS INN FIELDS,
LONDON, W.C.2.
2nd March, 1960.

WEST & DRAKE.
Chartered Accountants

Income and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31st December, 1959

<i>Year to</i> <i>31.12.58</i>	£	69 ECCLESTON SQUARE	£	Year to 31.12.58	£
100	Ground Rent ... ..	... ..	100	SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DONATIONS	£
20	Water and Garden Rates ... ..	... ..	24	General Subscriptions	448
110	Insurance ... ..	... ..	48	Donations	27
179	Repairs ... ..	... ..	496		—
207	Housekeeper ... ..	... ..	211		475
238	Light and Heat ... ..	... ..	197		
854		...	1,076		
444	Less: Net Rents Receivable	... ..	444	INCOME FROM INVESTMENTS	
410	(Note: Office Accommodation with a rental value of £325 is let rent free to I.P.F.F.)	...	632	Rentals of Freehold Properties less Expenses ...	2,098
	ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES	...		Interest and Dividends	3,235
2,442	Salaries ... ..	...		Ricarde-Seaver Bequest	159
400	Pensions ... ..	...			—
197	Postages and Telephone ... ..	...			5,492
192	Printing and Stationery ... ..	...		
84	Audit Fee (1958 and 1959) ... ..	...		
27	Accountancy Services (1958) ... ..	...		
299	Miscellaneous Expenses ... ..	...		
3,641		...	3,803		
	SUNDRY EXPENSES	...			
1,507	Printing and Expenses of Review ... ..	...	1,563		
253	Other Publication Expenses ... ..	...	31		
33	Hire of Halls ... ..	...	18		
387	Travelling and Entertainment Expenses ... ..	...	710		
110	Library, Press Cuttings, etc. ... ..	...	95		
10	Subscriptions to other Societies ... ..	...	6		
21	Expenses of Galton Lecture ... ..	...	61		

<p><u>38</u></p> <p>Amount written off Lease: 69 Eccleston Square 38 Costs on purchase of Frechold Property written off 159</p> <hr/> <p>2,359 2,681</p>	<div>SUNDRY INCOME</div> <div>Book Sales 56</div> <div>Review Sales 139</div> <div>Heredity Charts 22</div> <hr/> <div>340 217</div>
<p><u>£6,410</u></p>	<div>DEFICIT FOR THE YEAR carried down ... 932</div> <hr/> <div>£7,116</div>
<p><u>509</u></p> <p>DEFICIT FOR THE YEAR brought down ... 932</p>	<div>DEFICIT carried to General Fund ... 1,571</div>
SPECIAL GRANTS PAID DURING THE YEAR	
<p>52C. The Family Planning Association ... 50</p> <p>57. A.I.D. Investigation Council ... 38</p> <p>59. For the Establishment of Family Records ... 150</p> <p>60. International Planned Parenthood Federation Region for Europe, Near East and Africa ... 125</p> <p>61. Survey in Liverpool of some aspects of the Genetics and Biological Fitness of Negro and European Hybrids ... 250</p> <hr/> <p>357 613</p>	
INCOME TAX	
<p>102 Adjustments in respect of previous years ... 26</p>	
<p><u>£968</u></p>	<p><u>£1,571</u></p>

INVESTMENTS

at 31st December, 1959 (at Cost, less Capital Distributions)

	£	£
FREEHOLD PROPERTY		
72/74 Denmark Hill	7,677	
168 King Street, Hammersmith	5,316	
Factory at Holmethorpe Avenue, Redhill	8,125	
		21,118

MARKETABLE SECURITIES

£3,000	4% Consolidated Stock	2,340	
£2,011	3% Funding Stock 1966/68	1,636	
£10,500	3% Funding Stock 1959/69	8,905	
£2,500	British Petroleum Co. Ltd. 6% Con- vertible Debenture Stock 1976/80	2,619	
£551	Goodlass, Wall & Lead Industries Ltd. 7% Cumulative Preference Stock ...	804	
750	Olympia Ltd. £1 5% Cumulative Pref- erence Shares	579	
400	Penmount Estates Ltd. £1 5½% Cumu- lative Preference Shares	260	
£480	Scottish Brewers Ltd. 5½% Cumulative Preference Stock	558	
1,000	Amalgamated Metal Corporation Ltd. £1 Ordinary Shares	1,128	
108	Anglo-American Corporation of South Africa Ltd. 10s. Ordinary Shares ...	746	
£531	Associated Portland Cement Manu- facturers Ltd. Ordinary Stock ...	1,013	
£400	Burmah Oil Co. Ltd. Ordinary Stock ...	1,114	
1,000	Charterhouse Group Ltd. £1 Ordinary Shares	1,923	
£1,000	Clyde and Mersey Investment Trust Ltd. Ordinary Stock	713	
200	Consolidated Goldfields of South Africa Ltd. £1 Shares	609	
501	Courage and Barclay Ltd. £1 Ordinary Shares	727	
£500	Crompton Parkinson Ltd. Ordinary Stock	1,446	
200	Equity and Law Life Assurance Society Ltd. £1 Shares (8s. 6d. paid) ...	1,421	
£600	Fremains Ltd. Ordinary Stock	1,026	
£220	Great Universal Stores Ltd. "A" Ordin- ary Stock	1,216	
£500	Guest, Keen and Nettlefolds Ltd. Ordinary Stock	401	
800	Hawker Siddeley Group Ltd. £1 Ordin- ary Shares	1,630	
£350	Hawthorn (R. & W.) Leslie & Co. Ltd. Ordinary Stock	1,359	
	Carried Forward	£34,173	£21,118

		£	£
	Brought Forward	34,173	21,118
£1,408	Imperial Chemical Industries Ltd. Ordinary Stock	1,105	
£135	Nchanga Consolidated Copper Mines Ltd. Ordinary Stock	1,592	
£250	Pressed Steel Co. Ltd. Ordinary Stock	1,329	
300	Rand Selection Corporation Ltd. 5s. Ordinary Shares	744	
£500	A. Reyrolle & Co. Ltd. Ordinary Stock	2,317	
£289	Selection Trust Ltd. Ordinary Stock ...	1,129	
£415	Shell Transport and Trading Co. Ltd. Ordinary Stock	1,494	
810	Stewarts and Lloyds Ltd. £1 Ordinary Shares	1,733	
500	John Summers & Sons Ltd. £1 Ordinary Shares	1,424	
2,000	Toronto and London Investment Co. Ltd. Common Shares of No Par Value	2,057	
£400	Tube Investments Ltd. Ordinary Stock	1,498	
285	Union Corporation Ltd. 2s. 6d. Ordinary Shares	663	
			51,258
CASH ON DEPOSIT			
	United Dominions Trust Ltd.		5,000
			<u>£77,376</u>

DEFERRED LEGACIES

Syers Trust

(Income Payable to Mrs. Syers for life with remainder to the *Eugenics Society*.)

£1,186 17s. 6d. British Transport 3% Guaranteed Stock 1978/88.

Drake-Brockman Trust

(Income Payable to Mrs. Drake-Brockman for life then to each of the children for life with remainder to the *Eugenics Society*.)

£A4,020 Australian Consolidated Stock.

NOTE: The *Society* has an interest in a number of other Trusts and Estates from which the amount eventually receivable is at present unknown.

Minutes of the Council

You will by now have received

notice of the Annual General Meeting

to be held at 3.30 p.m. on Wednesday

25th May, 1950, at 69 Rochester Square

S.V.I.

It is possible for you to

attend we should be pleased if, in

the event, you may remember that we

have at times found difficulty in

achieving a quorum.

R. C. L. HENDERSON

17th May, 1950

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To Members of the Council

You will by now have received notice of the Annual General Meeting to be held at 3.30 p.m. on Wednesday, 25th May, 1960, at 69 Eccleston Square, S.W. 1.

If it is possible for you to attend we should be grateful as, in the past, you may remember that we have at times found difficulty in achieving a quorum.

G.C.L. BERTRAM

17th May, 1960

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